## Before the **Federal Communications Commission** Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of	)	
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Alascom, Inc.	)	File No. EB-FIELDWR-12-00002801
Antenna Structure Registrant	)	
ASR #1005539	)	
Anchor Point, Alaska	)	NOV No. V201232780004

## NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Released: July 10, 2012

By the Resident Agent, Anchorage Resident Agent Office, Western Region, Enforcement Bureau:

- This is a Notice of Violation (Notice) issued pursuant to Section 1.89 of the Commission's Rules, to Alascom, Inc., registrant of antenna structure #1005539 located in Anchor Point, Alaska.
- On May 18, 2012, at 12:00 p.m., agents of the Enforcement Bureau's Anchorage Resident Agent Office inspected antenna structure #1005539 located 12.1 kilometers north of Starisky Creek near Anchor Point, Alaska, and observed the following violation:
  - 47 C.F.R. § Section 17.23: "Unless otherwise specified by the Commission, a. each new or altered antenna structure to be registered on or after January 1, 1996, must conform to the FAA's painting and lighting recommendations set forth on the structure's FAA determination of "no hazard," as referenced in the following FAA Advisory Circulars: AC 70/7460-1J "Obstruction Marking and Lighting," effective January 1, 1996, and AC 150/5345-43E, "Specification for Obstruction Lighting Equipment," dated October 19, 1995. ASR # 1005539 requires lighting specifications in accordance with FAA Chapters 4, 8, 12, and FAA Circular Number 70/7460-1K. Chapter 8 is a dual lighting system that includes red lights (L-864) for nighttime and medium intensity flashing white lights (L-865) for daytime and twilight use. At the time of inspection, which was during daytime, the agents observed the red light flashing instead of the required white strobe.
- Pursuant to Section 403 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended,<sup>2</sup> and Section 3 1.89 of the Commission's Rules, Alascom, Inc., must submit a written statement concerning this matter within 20 days of release of this Notice. The response must fully explain each violation, must contain a statement of the specific action(s) taken to correct each violation and preclude recurrence, and should

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 1.89.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 47 U.S.C. § 403.

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include a time line for completion of pending corrective action(s). The response must be complete in itself and signed by a principal or officer of the Alascom, Inc. All replies and documentation sent in response to this Notice should be marked with the File No. and NOV No. specified above, and mailed to the following address:

Federal Communications Commission Anchorage Resident Agent Office P.O. Box 231949 Anchorage, Alaska 99523-1949

- 4. This Notice shall be sent to Alascom, Inc. at its address of record.
- 5. The Privacy Act of 1974<sup>3</sup> requires that we advise you that the Commission will use all relevant material information before it, including any information disclosed in your reply, to determine what, if any, enforcement action is required to ensure compliance. Any false statement made knowingly and willfully in reply to this Notice is punishable by fine or imprisonment under Title 18 of the U.S. Code.<sup>4</sup>

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Marlene Windel Resident Agent Anchorage Resident Agent Office Western Region Enforcement Bureau

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> P.L. 93-579, 5 U.S.C. § 552a(e)(3).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> 18 U.S.C. § 1001 et seq.